

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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National Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS)

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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) of the Government is progressing successfully;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether this scheme will strengthen the transmission and distribution (T&D) networks, 100 per cent metering of urban areas and smarten it with information technology;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether all the State Governments have joined the Scheme and if so, the details thereof;
- (f) the details of fund utilization, State-wise; and
- (g) whether the State of Kerala has utilized the allocated funds without much delay and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER,
COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) & (b) : Yes, Madam. The Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) was approved by the Government of India on 20.11.2014 with a total outlay of Rs. 32,612 crore and a budgetary support of Rs. 25,354 crore. Projects worth Rs. 26,133 crore have been sanctioned in 538 circles of 31 states/UTs and Rs. 3,331 crore have been disbursed. Projects worth Rs. 17,399 crore have been awarded.

(c) & (d) : The aim of the scheme is to provide quality and reliable power supply in the urban areas with the following components:

â€¢ Strengthening of sub-transmission and distribution networks in the urban areas;

â€¢ Metering of distribution transformers / feeders / consumers in the urban areas.

â€¢ IT enablement of distribution sector and strengthening of distribution network being undertaken under R-APDRP.

New IT enablement projects worth Rs.750 Crore have also been sanctioned under IPDS.

(e) & (f) : Under IPDS, Projects have been sanctioned in 29 States and 2 UTs. The details are placed at Annex.

(g) : As on 30th June, 2017, Kerala has been sanctioned projects worth Rs. 623.42 crore and an amount of Rs. 107.74 crore has been disbursed under IPDS. The projects are in various stages of implementation.
